

Representative Letter – Customer letters are brand, model and model year specific; listing the 17-digit VIN and are personalized.



IMPORTANT SAFETY RECALL

September 2014

Dear GM Customer:

This notice is sent to you in accordance with the National Traffic and Motor Vehicle Safety Act.

General Motors has decided that a defect which relates to motor vehicle safety exists in certain 2009-2010 MY Chevrolet Aveo and 2009 MY Pontiac G3 vehicles equipped with ABS. As a result, GM is conducting a safety recall. We apologize for this inconvenience. However, we are concerned about your safety and continued satisfaction with our products.

IMPORTANT

- This notice applies to your vehicle, **VIN:** _____.
- Your vehicle is involved in GM safety recall 14505.
- Schedule an appointment with your GM dealer.
- This service will be performed for you at **no charge**.

Why is your vehicle being recalled?

Previously your vehicle was involved in Customer Satisfaction Program 12189 for this condition. Our records indicate that you have not had this repair performed on your vehicle and so we are including your vehicle in this recall.

Some vehicles equipped with ABS brakes may contain brake fluid that does not inhibit corrosion in the zinc plating on the anti-lock brake system (ABS) module valve armature. Corrosion may lead to a gel build up on the sides of the valve, which could affect the closing motion of the valve. This could result in longer brake pedal travel and/or reduced brake performance, and in rare cases, vehicle instability and a rear wheel lock condition, which may increase the risk of a crash.

What will we do?

Your GM dealer will inspect the ABS module and, if necessary, replace the module. Dealers are to also change the brake fluid and provide a supplement to the Owner Manual that instructs customers to use only GM recommended brake fluid. This service will be performed for you at **no charge**. Because of service scheduling requirements, it is likely that your dealer will need your vehicle longer than the actual inspection and service correction time of approximately 2 hours and 30 minutes. If the inspection determines

the module requires replacement, your dealer may need your vehicle for a day or two while they obtain a new module.

Did you already pay for this repair?

If you have already had the brake fluid flushed or the ABS module replaced, you do not need to take your vehicle to your dealer for this recall. If you have paid for repairs for the recall condition, please complete the enclosed reimbursement form and present it to your dealer with all required documents. Working with your dealer will expedite your request, however, if this is not convenient, you may mail the completed reimbursement form and all required documents to Reimbursement Department, PO Box 33170, Detroit, MI 48232-5170. The completed form and required documents must be presented to your dealer or received by the Reimbursement Department by August 30, 2015, unless state law specifies a longer reimbursement period.

Do you have questions?

If you have questions or concerns that your dealer is unable to resolve, please contact the appropriate Customer Assistance Center at the number listed below.

Division	Number	Text Telephones (TTY)
Chevrolet	1-800-222-1020	1-800-833-2438
Pontiac	1-800-762-2737	1-800-833-7668
Puerto Rico – English	1-800-496-9992	
Puerto Rico – Español	1-800-496-9993	
Virgin Islands	1-800-496-9994	

If after contacting your dealer and the Customer Assistance Center, you are still not satisfied we have done our best to remedy this condition without charge and within a reasonable time, you may wish to write the Administrator, National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, 1200 New Jersey Avenue, SE., Washington, DC 20590, or call the toll-free Vehicle Safety Hotline at 1.888.327.4236 (TTY 1.800.424.9153), or go to <http://www.safercar.gov>. The National Highway Traffic Safety Administration Campaign ID Number for this recall is 14V460.

Federal regulation requires that any vehicle lessor receiving this recall notice must forward a copy of this notice to the lessee within ten days.

Jim Moloney
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Customer and Relationship Services

GM Recall #14505

General Motors Product Field Action Customer Reimbursement Request Form

This section to be completed by customer (please print)

Customer Name: _____

Street Address or P. O. Box Number: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Daytime Telephone Number (include Area Code): _____

Evening Telephone Number (include Area Code): _____

Date Request Form and Supporting Documentation Submitted to Dealer: _____

Vehicle Identification Number of Involved Vehicle: _____
(17 Characters)

Mileage at Time of Repair: _____ Date of Repair: _____

Amount of Reimbursement Requested: \$ _____

THE FOLLOWING DOCUMENTATION MUST ACCOMPANY THIS REQUEST FORM.

Original or clear copy of all receipts, invoices and/or repair orders that show:

- The name and address of the person who paid for the repair.
- The Vehicle Identification Number (VIN) of the vehicle that was repaired.
- Description of problem, the repair performed, date of repair and who performed the repair.
- The total cost of the repair expense that is being requested.
- Proof of payment for the repair in question and the date of payment.
(Copy of cancelled check, copy of credit card receipt or receipt for cash payment)

My signature to this document attests that all attached documents are genuine and I request reimbursement for the expense I incurred for the repair covered by this letter.

Customer's Signature: _____

Submit this request form and the required documents to your GM dealer for processing. All reasonable and customary costs to correct the condition described in the letter that came with this form will be considered for reimbursement. If your request is approved, you will receive a check from your dealer. If your request is denied, you will receive a written explanation for the denial from your dealer. If your request is incomplete, your dealer will advise you what documentation is needed to complete the request and offer you the opportunity to resubmit the request when the missing documents are available. If you have any questions about this process or have waited 30 or more days for a response from your dealer, please contact the GM Customer Assistance Center at 1-800-204-0261.

This section to be completed by dealer (please print)

Bulletin No.: _____ Request Approved: _____ Date: _____ Amount: \$ _____

Request Denied: _____ Date: _____ Reviewed By: _____

Reason: _____

If denied, please provide a copy of this form to the customer and retain original for your files